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## POETRY.

### "I WISH I WAS AN EDITOR."

I wish I was an editor,
I really do indeed;
It seems to me that editors
Get every thing they need.
They get the biggest and the best
Of every thing that grows,
And get in free to circuses
And other kinds of shows;
And when a mammoth cheese is cut
They always get a slice,
For saying Mrs. Smith knows how,
To make it very nice;
The largest pumpkin, and longest beet
And other garden, stuff
Is blown into the sanctum by
An editorial puff
The biggest bug will speak to them,
No matter how they dress—
A shabby coat is nothing, if
You own a printing press;
At ladies' fairs they're almost hugged
By pretty girls, you know,
That they may crack up everything
The ladies have to show—
And thus they get a blow-out free,
At every party feed;
The reason is, because they write
And other people read.

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## PROCEEDINGS OF THE BOARD OF SUPERVISORS.

(CONTINUED FROM OUR LAST.)

| | | | |
|---|---|---|---|
| 277 | Harman Volland, Constable fees | 2 72 | 2 72 |
| 278 | Daniel C. Winegar, constable fees | 50 96 | 50 96 |
| 279 | John A. Bently, witness fees | 3 30 | 3 30 |
| 280 | Sarah Bently, witness fees | 3 30 | 3 30 |
| 281 | Byron R. Porter, sheriff fees | 103 43 | 103 43 |
| 282 | Byron R. Porter, sheriff fees | 18 08 | 18 08 |

which report was, on motion, accepted and adopted, and the claims allowed as recommended.

Mr. N. H. Smith, from Committee on Civil Claims, reported the following, and recommended that they be allowed at the sums stated:

| | | Claimed. | Allowed. |
|---|---|---|---|
| 283 | N. Clark, *post mortem*, | $ 10 00 | $ 5 00 |
| 284 | Buetler & Traver, supplies for jail, Court House and Co. Officers, | 11 20 | 11 20 |
| 285 | F. Stafford, coffin, &c. for J. P. Ternison, | 20 00 | 20 00 |
| 286 | A. W. Chase, blanks, | 26 59 | 26 59 |
| 289 | B. R. Porter, Sheriff, | 1339 00 | 1339 00 |
| 290 | P. Winegar, " fees, | 133 00 | 133 00 |

which report was, on motion, accepted and adopted, and the claims allowed as commended.

Mr. Whipple, from the Committee on Rejected Taxes, submitted the following report:

"Your Committee, to whom was referred the subject of Rejected Taxes, would most respectfully report that they have had the subject under careful consideration, and would recommend that the following amounts be raised in the several Townships, Cities, Wards and Districts of Washtenaw County:

| | |
|---|---|
| City of Ann Arbor, 1st and 2d wards, | $578 75 |
| " " " 3d and 4th " | 363 50 |
| " " " 5th and 6th " | 61 17 |
| Ann Arbor Township, | 11 22 |
| Township of Augusta, | 11 61 |
| " " Bridgewater, | 9 96 |
| " " Freedom, | 20 32 |
| " " Lima, | 2 03 |
| " " Manchester, | 86 68 |
| " " Northfield, | 47 33 |
| " " Pittsfield, | 4 82 |
| " " Salem | 4 40 |
| " " Saline, | 35 45 |
| " " Scio, | 1 69 |
| " " Superior | 2 25 |
| " " Sylvan, | 50 79 |
| " " Webster | 1 22 |
| " " York, | 20 15 |
| " " Ypsilanti, | 6 61 |
| City of Ypsilanti, 1st dist. 1st, 2d and 3d wards, | 8 76 |
| City of Ypsilanti, 2d dist., 4th and 5th wards, | 120 46 |
| Total amount to be raised, | $1459 17 |

Your Committee would state that they have examined the Records in the County Treasurer's Office, and are satisfied that the deficiency in the Tax Roll of 2d district 4th and 5th wards, City of Ypsilanti, of $24.10 should not be charged back to said district, as the amount was paid to the County Treasurer, Philip Blum, on the 12th day of March, 1866.

RUSSELL WHIPPLE,
THOS. J. HAIGHT,
PHILIP WINEGAR, } Com.

which report was, on motion, accepted and dopted.

Mr. Lay, from Committee on Criminal Claims, offered the following resolution:

"*Resolved*, That the amount of $90.00 paid by the County Treasurer to Louis Schquder from the Contingent Fund, as a reward for arresting Andrew McMahon and Thomas Clark, and allowed said Treasurer by the Committee to settle with County Officers, be approved by this Board." Which resolution was adopted.

Mr. Robison offered the following resolution, which was not adopted:

"*Resolved*, That this Board instruct the Committee on Per Diem Allowance the amount to be paid each Supervisor per day for his attendance on this Board."

Mr. Winegar moved that the Committee on Per Diem Allowance make their report at 2 o'clock this afternoon," which motion was agreed to.

Mr. Crossman offered the following resolution:

"*Resolved*, That in all of the fre. School Districts in which the Township of Ann Arbor is interested, the voted and two mill tax be divided between City and Townships on a basis corresponding with the equalized assessment of this county—that as the city of Ann Arbor is to have the two mill tax spread on the assessed valuation, that that portion of the Township of Ann Arbor belonging to the City School District be reduced the same per centage below the equalized that the city is below the equalized valuation of this County, and the division of voted and mill tax with the townships joining the Township of Ann Arbor be the same," which resolution was not adopted.

Mr. Childs moved that Mr. Russell Whipple be added to the Committee on Apportionment of State and County Taxes, which motion prevailed.

Mr. J. L. Smith offered the following resolution, which was adopted:

"*Resolved* That the Board of Supervisors recommend that the next Board of Supervisors meet on the second Tuesday next after the annual Township meetings of 1868 for the purpose of forming a more equal system of assessing the real and personal property of the County of Washtenaw."

Mr. Lay presented the claim of H. H. Brinkerhoff for one dollar and twenty-three cents, for amount of tax overpaid by him in 1865, and moved that the same be allowed, which motion was agreed to, and the claim allowed as follows:

| | | Claimed. | Allowed. |
|---|---|---|---|
| 291 | H. H. Brinkerhoff, amount of tax overpaid, | $1 23 | $1 23 |

Mr. H. A. Smith presented the following claims, and moved that the same be allowed at the amounts named:

| | | Claimed. | Allowed. |
|---|---|---|---|
| 269 | B. W. Waite, services as Sup't Co. Poor, | $84 42 | $84 42 |
| 293 | Wm. R. Martin, services as Sup't Co. Poor, | 70 68 | 70 68 |
| 294 | P. Davis, services as Sup't Co. Poor, | 75 84 | 75 84 |

On motion, the Board adjourned to 2 o'clock P. M.

AFTERNOON SESSION.

Board met pursuant to adjournment, and was called to order by the Chairman.

Roll called—present a quorum.

Mr. Lay, from the Committee on Criminal Claims, reported that the Committee had revised the claim (199) of M. Fleming, and recommended that the same be allowed as now claimed at $69.60 which report was on motion accepted and adopted, and the claim allowed as recommended.

| | | Claimed. | Allowed. |
|---|---|---|---|
| 295 | M. Fleming, Constable Fees, | $69 60 | $69 60 |

Mr. H. A. Smith, from Committee on Civil Claims, reported the following claims and recommended that the same be allowed at the amounts named.

| | | Claimed. | Allowed. |
|---|---|---|---|
| 296 | Pease & Fleming, stove-pipe for Register's office, | $11 00 | $11 00 |
| 297 | Barclay Mount, repairs in Register's office, | 1 00 | 1 00 |
| 298 | Norris & Uhl, Counsel and Professional services, | 35 00 | 35 00 |
| 299 | Wm. Shafer, witness fees | 2 20 | 2 20 |
| 300 | Wm. Wheeler, " | 1 62 | 1 62 |
| 301 | Ferdinand Grisson, " | 3 96 | 3 96 |
| 302 | Wm. Lay, " | 3 60 | 3 60 |
| 303 | Nelson L. Halleck, " | 3 60 | 3 60 |
| 304 | Dr. Smith, " | 3 60 | 3 60 |
| 305 | Jos. Pray, " | 3 60 | 3 60 |
| 306 | G. H. Royce, " | 3 96 | 3 96 |
| 307 | J. H. Buck, " | 3 96 | 3 96 |
| 308 | John W. Bennett, " | 3 96 | 3 96 |
| 309 | Wm. Shafer, " | 3 60 | 3 60 |
| 310 | Albert Alderton " | 3 72 | 3 72 |
| 311 | Alexander Hagner, " | 3 15 | 3 15 |
| 312 | Thos. Fuller, " | 3 15 | 3 15 |
| 313 | James Doyle, " | 3 15 | 3 15 |
| 314 | Wm. Wardell, " | 3 15 | 3 15 |
| 316 | Giles Merritt, " | 3 15 | 3 15 |
| 317 | William Freer, " | 1 62 | 1 62 |

which report was on motion accepted and adopted, and the claims allowed as recommended.

Mr. J. L. Smith, from the Committee on Per Diem Allowance, submitted a report which on motion was referred back to the Committee with instructions.

Mr. Winegar moved that when this Board adjourn *sine die*, it shall be on Saturday morning next, which motion was lost.

Mr. Wall moved that when this Board adjourn *sine die*, it shall be on Friday next, which motion prevailed.

Mr. Wall moved that the Chair appoint a Committee to assist the Clerk in attaching the certificates to the assessment rolls, which motion was agreed to, and the Chair appointed Messrs. J. L. Smith, Wall and Lay.

Mr. Haight offered the following resolution, which was adopted:

"*Resolved*, That each Supervisor be requested to deliver to the Treasurer of his Township or Ward a copy of the tax laws of 1867, with instructions to deliver over the same to his successor at the expiration of his office, and also a copy of Highway Laws to each Commissioner of Highways, with the same instructions.

Mr. Robison presented the claim of Ruel Ambrose of $8,00 for wood furnished a case of small pox, which on motion was referred to the Committee on Civil Claims.

Mr. Winegar moved that ten dollars be allowed to the Deputy County Treasurer for making out the list of rejected taxes, which motion prevailed.

Mr. H. A. Smith offered the following resolution, which was adopted:

"*Resolved*, That the County Clerk be authorized to draw orders on the County Treasurer for the payment of witnesses in criminal cases, to be paid out of the Contingent Fund, on the certificate of the Prosecuting Attorney."

Mr. Robison moved that each Supervisor shall inform his successor in office of the meeting of the Board recommended to be held on the second Tuesday after the annual Township meeting, which motion prevailed.

Mr. H. A. Smith offered the following resolution, which was adopted.

"*Resolved*, That the County Clerk be authorized to draw orders on the County Treasurer, to be paid out of the Contingent Fund, for the purpose of paying for refreshments of jurors in attendance on the Circuit Court, on the order and certificate of the presiding Judge."

On motion the Board adjourned to 9 o'clock A. M. to-morrow.

THURSDAY, OCTOBER 31st, 1867.

Board met pursuant to adjournment, and was called to order by the Chairman, Roll called—present a quorum.

Journal read and approved.

Mr. Wall presented the following petition.

*To the Honorable Board of Supervisors of Washtenaw County:*

We, the undersigned County Officers, ex-County Officers and members of the Bar of Washtenaw County, would respectfully represent that, whereas, nearly all the Counties of this State have for the last three or four years allowed the Sheriffs of their respective counties the sum of not less than 75 cents per day for the board of prisoners confined at the County Jail and that, as we understand that the Board of Supervisors of this County have allowed the present Sheriff of this County the sum of 75 cents per day, which we believe to be a reasonable compensation, we would petition your Honorable Body to allow our former Sheriff the extra allowance of 15 cents per day, as allowed this year, for the two previous years.

(Signed)

B. R. PORTER, Sheriff,
JOHN I. THOMPSON, Clerk,
E. LAWRENCE, Cr. Judge,
R. E. FRASER, Pros. Atty.
C. JOSLIN,
H. J. BEAKES.

which, on motion of Mr. Robison, was received and referred to the Committee on Civil Claims.

Mr. Crossman, from Committee on Public Buildings presented a bill for the purchase of stoves for the Probate Office, of L. C. Risdon, which on motion was accepted and referred to Committee on Civil Claims.

Mr. Cook, from Committee on Criminal Claims, reported the following claim with the recommendation that the same be allowed at the amount named.

| | | Claimed. | Allowed. |
|---|---|---|---|
| 318 | Philip Winegar, Sheriff Fees, | $186 76 | $186 76 |

and also asked that said committee be now discharged, which report was accepted and adopted, the claim allowed as recommended and the committee discharged.

Mr. H. A. Smith, from Committee on Civil Claims, reported the following claims, and recommended that they be allowed at amounts named.

| | | Claimed. | Allowed. |
|---|---|---|---|
| 319 | A. W. Chase, Blanks for Treasurer's Office | $ 3 06 | $ 3 06 |
| 320 | Ruel Ambrose, wood furnished small pox patient, | 8 00 | 8 00 |
| 321 | J. & P. Donnelly, supplies for jail, | 3 90 | 3 90 |
| 322 | S. C. Risdon, stoves for Probate Office, | 28 00 | 28 00 |

which report was accepted and adopted, and the claims allowed as recommended.

Mr. Gilbert moved that the vote basing the two mill tax on the assessed valuation of the county be rescinded.

Mr. Wall moved as an amendment that Mr. Gilbert's motion be laid on the table, and that the opinion of the Prosecuting Attorney be obtained upon the subject, which motion as amended, prevailed.

Mr. H. A. Smith offered the following resolution, which was adopted.

"*Resolved*, That the Prosecuting Attorney for the County of Washtenaw be and is hereby allowed all expenses for fuel and lights for his office from the first day of January last and until he shall have possession of his room in the Court House according to a recent resolution of the Board of Supervisors,"

Mr. Crittenden offered the following resolution, which was adopted:

"*Resolved*, That the sum of fifty dollars be raised for the purpose of fitting up the rooms in the Court House, appropriated to the use of the Prosecuting Attorney, Sheriff and County Superintendent of Schools."

Mr. Crossman, from the Committee on Public Buildings, submitted the following report:

"Report of Committee on Public Buildings is as follows,

The foundations at the southwest corner of the Jail has settled and caused a bad crack and we deem it important that a competent mason be employed to fix it up tight before cold weather sets in, and that the conducting water pipe on the west side of Jail be repaired and that the west side of the wash room be banked up to protect the cistern against frost. We find the Jail, within, all in perfect order, and neat and cleanly.

Your Committee further recommend an appropriation of the sum of $75.00 for such repairs. The repairs on the Register's and Probate Offices have been reported and committee recommended that S. Grisson and B. R. Porter be the committee to superintend said repairs, all of which is respectfully submitted.

S. CROSSMAN,
P. FLEMING,
T. G. HAIGHT, } Com.

which report was on motion accepted and adopted.

Mr. Gilbert moved that the Clerk be instructed to draw orders upon the County Treasurer to pay the expenses of the repairs recommended in the foregoing report, which motion was adopted.

Mr. Holmes, from Committee on Compensation of members, submitted the following report:

"The Committee on Compensation of members submit the following report, and recommend the sums stated be allowed the different Supervisors of the several Towns and Wards of the County of Washtenaw, for copying the County rolls, extending the State and County Tax and disbursing the Volunteer Family Relief Fund from and after April 1867 to April 1st 1868:

| | | |
|---|---|---|
| 323 | Augustus Bond, | $150 00 |
| 324 | Warren Babcock, | 128 00 |
| 325 | Allen Crittenden, | 127 00 |
| 326 | Aaron Childs, | 144 00 |
| 327 | A. L. Conklin, | 136 00 |
| 328 | Samuel Crossman, | 134 00 |
| 329 | Peter Cook, | 138 00 |
| 330 | Patrick Fleming, | 122 00 |
| 331 | John G. Feldkamp, | 138 00 |
| 332 | Samuel Grisson, | 161 00 |
| 333 | Newman Granger, | 165 00 |
| 334 | John Gilbert, | 140 00 |
| 335 | Sumner Hicks, | 122 00 |
| 336 | Thomas G. Haight, | 130 00 |
| 337 | Egbert P. Harper, | 133 00 |
| 338 | Charles Holmes Jr., | 155 00 |
| 339 | E. D. Lay, | 138 00 |
| 340 | John Peebles, | 131 00 |
| 341 | H. A. Smith, | 160 00 |
| 342 | John J. Robison, | 135 00 |
| 342 | J. L. Smith, | 170 00 |
| 344 | Philip Winegar, | 130 00 |
| 345 | Russell Whipple, | 127 00 |
| 346 | Patrick Wall, | 130 00 |
| 347 | Thomas Young, | 120 00 |

all of which is respectfully submitted.

CHARLES HOLMES jr.,
AUGUSTUS BOND,
PHILIP WINEGAR, } Com.

On motion, the report was accepted and adopted.

On motion, the Board adjourned to 1½ o'clock P. M.

AFTERNOON SESSION.

Board met pursuant to adjournment, and was called to order by the Chairman.

Roll called—present a quorum.

Mr. Winegar, from the Committee appointed to enquire into the expediency of establishing a similar institution to the House of Correction in connection with the County Poor House, submitted the following report:

*To Board of Supervisors of Washtenaw Co., Mich., in session, Monday, Oct.* 14, 1867.

A communication from Z. R. Brockway, Superintendent of the Detroit House of Correction, was read by the Clerk, stating that the contract of this county with that institution had expired, and would be renewed on terms stated, if desired.

Referred to a committee of three, consisting of Messrs. Winegar, Bond and Cook.

On motion of Mr. Gilbert, the same committee was instructed to inquire into the expediency of establishing a similar institution to the House of Correction in connection with the County Poor House.

Your Committee having given to the important subject committed to them such attention as the time has allowed, beg leave to report as follows:

The resolution of Mr. Gilbert is understood as intended to elicit information with regard to providing employment for prisoners and paupers. A broad distinction is to be drawn between the two classes. Humanity and civilization bind us to this. The prisoner, when held as such for crime, has incurred the censure of society, and is suffering her just discipline. The pauper is to be regarded as one whom Providential dispensations have deprived of the usual opportunities for self-support. Recognizing him as such, society, under a proper construction, of the law of brotherhood, takes him in her charge. His poverty may be owing to his vice, but such censure as would involve neglect is waived. He is before society merely a sufferer. The usual County House is an arrangement to perfectly apportion the burden of maintenance and meet the various forms of distress.

The prisoner and the pauper may be taken into one view as wards of society. Civilization, and certainly Christianity, have no thought of simple vengeance by torture, whatever the crime. The theory of the prison is, the restraint of the vicious, the terror of crime, and the care of the diseased member of community. Witness the provision of chaplains and teachers for prisons; also libraries, and the "good time law." If society is thus tender to crime, much more to misfortune.

It becomes, therefore, the duty of your Board to inquire how far it is discharging its duties toward these beneficiaries. In this view the resolution is eminently proper.

We will first briefly inquire into the condition of prisoners. The several classes of prisoners are, persons serving out a term of sentence, persons detained on charges, and persons held informally as vagaants. Under our present jail system, these several classes share alike in prison discipline. They are confined at night in the cells, but unless under some punishment for violation of prison law or regarded as liable to escape, the prisoners pass the day in a common hall. On Sunday a clergyman holds a short service and distributes religious reading.

This is the life led not infrequently for several months.

Is this reforming the criminal? Is this even investing the prison with terror? Is this society's due care of its wards? What have you to expect of the man, and especially the boy, who is put upon society after several months every year of such life? What would you think of subjecting a youth of actual moral disposition to such an experience? Aside from the association, what must you expect to reap from the sowing of such idleness? Are we not, under the profession of reformation, sustaining a school of vice in our midst? Are we not helping to swell that great flood of crime which is sweeping over the land? Is it not a grand error connected with our Penal system that social science and benevolence deal entirely with State Prisons with crime in its grand dimensions, and leave unguarded the Institutions where first the hand of Justice is laid on the criminal?

The condition of the inmates of the Poor House is an improvement upon that of the prisoners. The women are employed in care of the house, and the men on the farm, while a pauper acts as teacher for the children. Yet this provision for employment is inadequate, especially in the winter.

The evils of idleness extend to the County House, while the very fact that there is no systematic provision for labor, tends to draw thither the class who are willing to be anywhere, provided they can lead a life of animal ease.

We may ask then, again, is this society's due care of its wards? Is this benevolence wise and thorough in its work?

The necessity then of providing employment for these two classes is obvious. In behalf of employment for prisoners, it may be further urged, that a system of overstent might be introduced, allowing the prisoner some portion of his earnings, thus enabling him on leaving to put himself in the way of employment, instead of sending him back to his associates in vice and crime. It is also worthy of consideration, that the present condition of our jails often prevents the arrests of boys, and even their conviction. Humanity suggests that to send them to jail is only to teach them more effectually the ways of iniquity.

The resolution contemplates an Institution in connection with the County Poor House. The distinction between the pauper and criminal must in all humanity, and in justice even to civilization, be carefully preserved. Yet it is believed that with proper Buildings erected on the County farm, the two classes might be furnished with work. Some raw material might be brought into shape by the prisoner to be wrought by the feebler paupers.

It is further suggested, that a committee of this Board be appointed to gather information relative to the matters in question. There are several prison associations in the County, and important reports on Poor Houses are to be obtained, and it may be that the experiment contemplated by the resolution has been tried elsewhere.

In conclusion, your Committee earnestly urge, that should any plan suggested by your Board be found feasible, that no reasonable expenditure should be declined. Crime is fearfully costly. One criminal endangers the property and even persons of numbers. And one pauper is a sore on the community. An Institution that says to every pauper and every prisoner: Labor is the law of life; will be an honor and a blessing to Washtenaw County, and civilization and christianity will hail such an advance.

Conceding now the necessity of some reform in the manner of confining aged and hardened offenders with youthful vagrants, or other persons charged with small offenses, or a first offense; and conceding also the absolute need of some sort of labor, both winter and summer, for certain classes of offenders and paupers, the question arises, what are the present legal powers of the Board in the premises?

For the effectual working of a new system it would be essential that the County Farm and Jail should be combined with something in the nature of a House of Correction, on the same premises.

The Board of Supervisors is a Constitutional tribunal "having such powers of a local, legislative and administrative character" as may be conferred upon it by law.—ART. iv, § 38. ART. x, § 6.

It has no powers except such as are simply granted, and such as by necessary implication, are consequent of the expressly granted powers. It has entire control of the whole question of paupers (acting with and through the Superintendents of the Poor.)—COMPILED LAWS, §§ 1342–1521.

There is no difficulty then as to the paupers.

As to criminals, vagrants and juvenile offenders:

The laws of 1846, Comp. L. § 5580 declare that the buildings then used (1846) as jails and prisons in the respective counties in the State, "shall *be* and *continued* such."

The Board has no power to remove such jails out of the limits of the City or Village where they now continue.—COMP. L. § 45. SUB. §§ 3 and 5.

By law, the common jails of the Counties are designated—1st, For the detention of persons *charged* with offences. 2d, For persons committed as witnesses on criminal trials. 3d, Persons under sentence, after conviction. 4th, All other persons committed for any cause, authorized by law, (except fugitive slaves.—COMP. L. § 6129.

It would seem then that the Board of Supervisors of the County have no power to *remove* the jail from the city of Ann Arbor and combine it with a County Farm Reform School, or any scheme of like character—that they have no power to direct the place of confinement or punishment of any offender, and no power to control the discipline of any convict, vagrant, or other person under sentence, or surveillance. They *have* power to audit the criminal claims and expenses.

All that can be done in the present report is to bring the matter to the notice of the people.

The more it is discussed the more clearly it will be seen that some reform in the older counties of the State is needed in management of criminals, vagrants, paupers, etc.

Under the Constitutional power permitted to Boards of Supervisors, only a brief act of the Legislature is needed to enable such Boards to build up a system of combined management for criminals (of the lower grades) vagrants, juvenile offenders, and paupers, which shall achieve the combined object of punishment, reform and protection, better than the present jail, plan with the added advantage of being in part, if not altogether, self-supporting.

Your Committee report herewith a resolution, and beg to be discharged from the further consideration of the subject—all of which is respectfully submitted.

PHILIP WINEGAR,
PETER COOK,
AUGUSTUS BOND, } Com.

*Resolved*, That a committee of two be appointed, consisting of J. Gilbert and C. Holmes, jr., with instructions to ascertain and report at the next regular meeting of the Board: 1st, Is there any combined plan for Jail, Poor House and Reform School, used in any County or State within the range of their inquiry? 2d, Is any such system feasible? 3d, The probable legislation needed. 4th, The estimated expense of inaugurating such system, and that all actual expenses of said Committee in their duties be allowed and paid.

which report was on motion accepted and adopted, and ordered to be entered upon the Journal.

Mr. J. L. Smith, from Committee on Per Diem Allowance, submitted the following report:

"The Committee on Per Diem Allowance would respectfully report that each Supervisor be allowed the sum of two dollars and fifty cents per day for eighteen days each for services rendered while attending the Board of Supervisors, except the Chairman, who shall be allowed nineteen days at the same rate." Which report was accepted and adopted.

The folowing table exhibits the Per Diem Allowance and mileage of members as per the reports of the committee.

| | | Days. | Miles. | Times. | Am't of Mileage. | Am't of Per Diem. | Total Amount. |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| 348 | A. Bond, | 18 | 15 | 6 | $5 40 | $45 00 | $50 40 |
| 349 | W. Babcock | 18 | 11 | 6 | 3 96 | 45 00 | 48 96 |
| 350 | Aaron Childs, | 18 | 13 | 6 | 6 48 | 45 00 | 51 48 |
| 351 | W. L. Conklin | 18 | 25 | 6 | 9 00 | 45 00 | 54 00 |
| 352 | A. Crittenden, | 18 | 10 | 6 | 0 60 | 45 00 | 48 60 |
| 353 | Sam Crossman | 18 | 1 | 6 | 3 36 | 45 00 | 45 36 |
| 354 | Peter Cook, | 18 | 10 | 6 | 3 60 | 45 00 | 48 60 |
| 355 | Pat Fleming, | 18 | 12 | 6 | 4 32 | 45 00 | 49 32 |
| 356 | J. G. Feldcamp | 18 | 10 | 6 | 3 60 | 45 00 | 48 60 |
| 357 | Sam Grisson, | 19 | 11 | 6 | 0 36 | 47 50 | 47 86 |
| 358 | N. Granger, | 18 | 24 | 6 | 8 64 | 45 00 | 53 64 |
| 359 | John Gilbert, | 18 | 9 | 6 | 3 24 | 45 00 | 48 25 |
| 360 | Sumner Hicks | 18 | 1 | 6 | 0 36 | 45 00 | 45 36 |
| 361 | C. Holmes jr., | 18 | 9 | 6 | 3 24 | 45 00 | 48 25 |
| 362 | Thos G Haight | 18 | 12 | 6 | 4 32 | 45 00 | 49 32 |
| 363 | Egbert Harper | 18 | 10 | 6 | 3 60 | 45 00 | 48 60 |
| 364 | Ezra D. Lay, | 18 | 11 | 6 | 3 96 | 46 00 | 48 96 |
| 365 | John Peebles, | 18 | 10 | 6 | 3 60 | 45 00 | 48 60 |
| 366 | J. J. Robison, | 18 | 24 | 6 | 8 64 | 45 00 | 53 64 |
| 367 | H. A. Smith, | 18 | 16 | 6 | 5 76 | 45 00 | 50 76 |
| 368 | J. L. Smith, | 18 | 8 | 6 | 2 88 | 45 00 | 47 88 |
| 369 | P. Winegar, | 18 | 1 | 6 | 0 36 | 45 00 | 45 36 |
| 370 | Patrick Wall, | 18 | 10 | 6 | 3 60 | 45 00 | 48 60 |
| 371 | R. Whipple, | 18 | 16 | 6 | 5 76 | 45 00 | 50 76 |
| 372 | Thos. Young, | 18 | 24 | 6 | 8 64 | 45 00 | 53 64 |

Mr. Gilbert moved that his motion of this morning (to rescind the motion basing the two-mill tax) be taken from the table, which was agreed to, and after some time spent thereon, the subject was, on motion of Mr. Wall, postponed till to-morrow morning at 9 o'clock.

Mr. Gilbert moved that the salary of the County Clerk be increased one hundred dollars, which motion was lost.

The Chairman read a correspondence between the State Treasurer and County Treasurer in relation to a $2,000 County Bond held by the State, which, on motion of Mr. Wall, was referred to a committee consisting of Messrs. Grisson, Robison and H. A. Smith.

Mr. Crittenden moved that no claims be allowed by this Board after to-morrow morning's session, which motion was adopted.

Mr. Whipple moved to rescind the resolution to adjourn *sine die* on Friday, which motion prevailed,

Mr. Robison moved that the Committee on Public Buildings be instructed to exchange the stove in the Probate Office for one more suitable, and that the sum of fourteen dollars be appropriated for that purpose, which motion was carried.

[See Second Page.]


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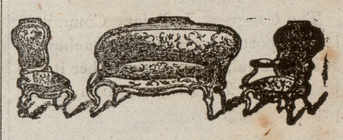

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# The Ypsilanti Commercial.

OFFICIAL PAPER OF THE CITY.

SATURDAY, NOVEMBER 30, 1867.


## CURRENT EVENTS.

Last Saturday's news brought one of the most heartrending events it has been our lot to record. Near Lockland Ohio, on the Cincinati, Hamilton & Dayton Rail Road. Says an eye witness.

"When I reached the scene of the accident the flames had consumed a part of the first sleeping car, but the shrieks which came from within proved too plainly that its occupants were yet alive. The efforts of those who endeavored to make a way of escape for the inmates were of no avail, and in a few moments the frame work of the car fell in, disclosing the charred remains. One of the ladies had succeeded in forcing her head and one arm out of the window, but being fastened by the seats falling upon her, was unable to extricate herself further. Her sister was also horribly burned, nothing but part of her shoe and stocking remaining intact. The gentleman, whose name I did not then know, (but have since ascertained to be a Mr. Jackson, of Boston,) had succeeded in making his escape, but hearing the ladies renewed cries for help rushed back exclaiming, "My God can you hear those scream so and not help?" He was to late too render any assistance, however, and smothered by the smoke or consumed by the flame, was in a few moments a blackened corpse. The passengers in the fatal car had all arisen and completed their toilets when the awful crash came. It is supposed that death came to two of the sufferers immediately, as the head of one was completely severed from the body, while the other was disemboweled. Added to all of this horror, the steam from the locomotive was boiling the mutilated bodies of both the living and the dead, and ere long a sheet of flame went whirling through the car, which had ignited either from the lamp or the car stove, charring and blackening five human beings beyond a hope of recognition. With her lower extremities fastened between heavy pieces of timber, one of the sisters succeeded in getting her head out of a window, but her screams for help were vain. An effort to relieve her from her dreadful position was made, but the remorseless element was stronger than human hands, and the wretched woman was abandoned to her miserable fate.

Four of the ladies burned were sisters by the name of Morgan, supposed to belong in New Orleans. They had just returned from a visit in Canada West, and were on their their way home. They were elegently dressed, and seemingly of wealthy families, and spoke both French and German, as well as English, fluently, as those say who had seen them before the accident. The young ladies, or one of them at least seemed to have a presentiment of some approaching evil, as not unfrequently happens just before such disasters. Some time before the accident she arose and dressed herself, and seemed uneasy, as did others, during the night. If they had such a presentiment, it was fearfully fulfilled.

Four trains run on a single track at this time of day—a passenger train up, a passenger and two freights down —with only a margin of about ten minutes. Those in charge of the freight train that ran into the other say they saw no signal on the rear platform.—The morning was dark and foggy,—The train from Cincinnati, on which I was, just escaped a collision with the the freight train that preceded the unfortunate passenger train.

Weston has made his fourth attempt to make his one hundred miles in 24 hours, and failed.

The Congress Judiciary Committee have reported in favor of impeachment. It is doubtful, however, whether it will be done. *Too many* cowards in the present Congress.

Dr. Livingstone has again been resuscitated. The news is pleasing, and we hope it can be authenticated. He was seen in the interior of Africa alive and well. There are no particulars, and the confirmation of the announcement will be eagerly looked for.

The loss of life on the island of Luzon during the late storm, was 10,000. Whole villages were swept away.

Jeff. Davis' trial is postponed until the 25th of March next.

Gen. Grant says.

As to my principles, I have not meant to leave any one in doubt. I would save the country—I would save it in the shortest way under the Constitution. If there be those who would not save the country unless they could at the same time save their own theories, I do not agree with them. My wish is to restore all the States to their proper relations as such, and upon the principles of even handed justice. What I do in the premises I do because I belive it helps to save the country, and what I forbear I forbear because I do believe it helps to save the country. I shall do less whenever I believe that I am doing what hurts the cause. I shall do more whenever I shall believe that doing more will help the cause.

Lincoln-like, Gen. Grant will be a safe man to elect President. His administration, judging from his acts, would be an honest and economical one, and this is just what the people are aching to see. He has issued an order reducing the army.

Gen. Butler has made a speech in the House, favoring the substitution of greenbacks for national bank notes.

SALINE, Nov. 26, 1867.

*To the Editor of the Commercial:*

DEAR SIR:—Pardon me if I intrude myself into your studio with a few facts for your paper. I write from *Saline*. This village is one of the finest inland towns of the Peninsular State—surrounded by a wealthy farming country. It has three churches—Presbyterian, Baptist and Methodist—the latter being the largest. The Pastors of these churches are, Rev. Mr Adams, of the Presbyterian; Rev. Mr. Armstrong, of the Baptist, and Rev. Mr. Hickey, of the Methodist. Rev. Mr. Armstrong has been here the longest—perhaps five or six years. Rev. Mr. Adams came last summer, and Mr. Hickey was appointed here at the late session of the Detroit Conference in September last. The Baptist congregation are refitting their house on the inside, having already greatly improved its exterior with two coats of paint. I understand it will be reopened in two or three weeks. The congregation at the Presbyterian House, are canvassing, I understand, to rejuvenate their house outside and in. The Methodists have changed the complexion of their church for the better, having painted it on the outside, put on blinds, frescoed and painted it within, also changed the singers from the gallery to the orchestra at the right of the pulpit. They are now going on to cushion the remaining 17 seats below, which they proposed to have done for Thanks giving service (28th inst.) They have rented all their seats in the audience-room but four. They are talking of fitting up the seats in the gallery—to rent. They had a Festival for their Sabbath School Library on the 8th inst. The net receipts of the same was $212.59. But, Mr. Editor, I think the tone of these Saline churches may be *greatly* improved.

The public are talking about a railroad from Ypsilanti to Tecumseh. What do you Ypsilantians say about such a project? Are you ready to cooperate with the Salineites?

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### CONGRESS AND THE REPUBLICAN PARTY.

The Washington correspondent of N. Y. *Independent*, intimates the future course of Congress and the Republican party. Live or die, the party must stand to its principles. If it abandons its principles for the sake of the spoils it should and will certainly die; if it adheres to its Godlike principles, it will certainly be the ruling power in this nation for a quarter of a century to come.

There are certain things which will be done:

First, the Republican party will stick to the principle of manhood suffrage—North as well as South. I have not seen one Republican Congressman who dares speak one word in favor of abandoning this issue. Men like Senator Trumbull doubt the constitutional power of Congress to enact equal suffrage in the States, but advocate its adoption through State legislation. They voted for it in this District, where they had the power, and established it.

Senator Wade says: "The negro suffrage amendment defeated us in Ohie; but I am glad we made the issue, and I would do it over again!" Speaker Colfax writes to a friend: "The standard must not be lowered *an inch!*" There will be no retreat, therefore, on this question. If we fall, let us fall like men—say all Republicans I have seen in Washington.

Second, Congress will remodel the tax and tariff laws. The taxes must be reduced, and the tariff will not be increased. The country will not endure it. There is a growing feeling in favor of reducing the tax on whisky to fifty cents per gallon. At two dollars the tax *cannot be collected*. The temptation to fraud is so enormous that it is not resisted. The Government, so far, has made a shocking failure in the business. I will not stop to inquire whether it is the fault of Congress, or of the President; but the fact is that *three-fourths of the whisky manufactured escapes taxation*. Something must be done to cure this evil; and in the opinion of many the shortest way is to reduce the tax. This, however, is not the opinion of Commissioner Wells, I believe. It certainly was not last winter. The West will clamor for a light tax.

Third, Congress will put a stop to contraction, I fear. The West is bent on having a large amount of currency afloat, and Republicans will join Democrats in the movement. The Administration will gently oppose it. The President sides with McCulloch on financial questions, but he has not a particle of influence in Congress. This may seem strange, but it is true. There is not a Democratic member of either house, unless it is his son-in-law, in the Senate, who is influenced in the slightest degree by what he says or does when it comes to voting.

To escape trouble by running away from duty. Jonah once made the experiment; but soon found himself where all his imitators will soon find themselves. Therefore manfully meet and over come the difficulties, and trials to which the post assigned you by God's providence exposes you

Vallandigham boasts that the people of Ohio gave him 187,000 votes for Governor, they gave the colored suffrage 210,000 votes

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### PROCEEDINGS OF THE BOARD OF SUPERVISORS.

(CONTINUED FROM OUR LAST.)

Mr. Robison moved that the sum of two dollars per day be allowed to John Hoffstetter for his services as janitor, which motion prevailed.

On motion, the Board adjourned to 9 o'clock A. M. to-morrow.

FRIDAY, NOVEMBER 1st, 1867.

Board met pursuant to adjournment, and was called to order by the Chairman.

Roll called—present a quorum.

Journal read and approved.

Mr. Robison, from the Committee to whom was referred the correspondence between the State and County Treasurers in relation to $2,000 County Bond, submitted the following report:

"Your committee to whom was referred the subject of a certain old Bond for $2,000.00 executed on the 15th November, 1838, by the Supervisors of the County of Washtenaw, to John D. Pierce, Superintendent of Public Instruction of the State of Michigan, respectfully report, that according to the best information they can obtain during the limited time for examination, they believe that the Bond has been fully paid, and therefore recommend no further action thereon, all of which is respectfully submitted.

SAMUEL GRISSON, J. J. ROBISON, } Com.

which report was, on motion, accepted and adopted.

On motion, the subject of the two mill tax was taken from the table, and, on motion, the Prosecuting Attorney was heard thereon.

Mr. Peebles moved that the motion of Mr. Gilbert, to rescind the motion previously adopted, (basing the two mill tax on the assessed valuation of the County) be now adopted, which motion prevailed.

Mr. Wall, from the Committee on Civil Claims, reported the following claims, and recommended that they be allowed at the amounts named:

| | Claimed. | Allowed. |
|---|---|---|
| 373 Wines & Douglass, lumber and blinds for Jail and Court House, | $17 75 | $17 75 |
| 374 B. R. Porter, Sheriff Fees, | 81 62 | 81 62 |

and also submitted the following report in writing.

"Your committee to whom was referred the petition of ex County Officers and members of the Bar, would respectfully report that they have had the same under consideration and find the number of days of convicts in jail from October 15th, 1864, to October 25th 1866, to be 6743 days, which at 15 cents a day (the amount per day in said petition) amaunts to $1,011.45 and recommend that the said sum be allowed to Philip Winegar ex County Sheriff.

H. A. SMITH, P. WALL, } Com.

Mr. Gilbert moved that the report be accepted and adopted.

Mr. Crittenden moved as an amendment that the report be accepted and adopted, except the last clause, (referring to the claim of P. Winegar,) which motion prevailed.

Mr. Robison moved to amend the amendment so as to allow Mr. Winegar the sum of five hundred dollars, which was carried by yeas and noes, as follows:

Yeas—Messrs. Babcock, Childs, Conklin, Crossman, Fleming, Feldkamp, Grisson, Granger, Gilbert, Hicks, Robison, J. L. Smith, Wall, Whipple and Young—15

Nays—Messrs. Bond, Crittenden, Cook, Holmes Jr., Haight, Harper, Lay and Peebles—8

The question recurring on accepting and adopting the report as now amended, it was carried, and the claims allowed as stated.

375 P. Winegar, ex Sheriff, allowed at $500 00

On motion the Board adjourned to 1½ o'clock P. M.

AFTERNOON SESSION.

Board met pursuant to adjournment, and was called to order by the Chairman.

Roll called—present a quorum.

Mr. Crittenden from Committee on Unfinished Business, submitted the following report:

"Your committee on unfinished business, report that they have examined the journal of the proceedings of this Board, and find allowed by said Board, for county purposes, for the year A. D. 1867, as follows, to wit:

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|---|---|
| Allowed on Criminal Claims, | $1,283 70 |
| " " Civil " | 4,456 33 |
| " for Printing and Publishing Proceedings in Pamphlet, | 200 00 |
| Allowed for Family Relief Fund, | 500 00 |
| " " indebtedness of Poor Fund, | 6,827 96 |
| Allowed for Contingent Poor Fund, | 8,000 00 |
| " " House of Correction at Detroit, | 800 00 |
| Allowed for County Agrl. Society, | 300 00 |
| " " " Contingent Fund, | 500 00 |
| " " Salaries of County Officers for 1867, | 1,274 20 |
| Allowed for Salaries of County Superintendents from May 1st 1867, to December 31st 1867, | 1,000 00 |
| Allowed for incidental expenses of County Superintendent for 8 months, | 33 33 |
| Allowed for Salaries of County Officers for 1868, | 3,000 00 |
| Allowed for salaries of Superintendents for 1868, | 1,000 00 |
| Allowed for incidental expenses for County Superintendent for 1868, | 50 00 |
| Allowed for Insane Building at County House, | 1,000 00 |
| Allowed for Insane Asylum at Kalamazoo, | 500 00 |
| Allowed for Supervisors, extending Taxes and copying rolls, | 3,400 64 |
| Allowed for repairing rooms in Court House, | 50 00 |
| Allowed for repairing Jail, | 75 00 |
| " " Per Diem Allowance for members, | 1,127 50 |
| Allowed for John Hoffstetter, Janitor, | 36 00 |
| " " County Treasurer for copying Register, | 10 00 |
| Allowed for enchange on stoves for Probate Office, | 14 00 |
| Allowed for Reporter of proceedings of the Board of Supervisors, | 35 00 |
| Allowed for Jurors' Fees, | 1,600 00 |
| " " insurance on Public Buildings, | 150 00 |
| | $40,062,66 |

and your committee recommend that it be adopted and the amount raised on the assessed valuation of the County.

A. CRITTENDEN, WARREN BABCOCK, } Com.

On motion, the report was accepted and adopted.

Mr. Crittenden moved that the County Clerk be instructed to superintend the repairs on the rooms in the Court House, which motion was agreed to.

On motion, the Board took a recess till 3 o'clock.

The recess having expired, business was resumed.

Mr. Bond, from the committee on apportionment of State and County Taxes, submitted the following report:

"The committee to apportion State and County Tax for the County of Washtenaw for the year 1867 have apportioned the same as per annexed statement.

AUGUSTUS BOND, RUSSELL WHIPPLE, AARON CHILDS, EGBERT P. HARPER, } Com.

| | Equalized. | State Tax. | Co. Tax. |
|---|---|---|---|
| Augusta, | $230,000 00 | $ 943 00 | $ 768 20 |
| Ann Arbor town, | 569,000 00 | 2,332 90 | 1,900 46 |
| " city, 1st & 2d wards, | 755,000 00 | 3,095 50 | 2,520 70 |
| Ann Arbor city, 3d & 4th wards, | 515,000 00 | 2,111 50 | 1,720 10 |
| Ann Arbor city, 5th & 6th wards, | 237,000 00 | 971 70 | 791 58 |
| Bridgwater, | 445,000 00 | 1,824 50 | 1,486 30 |
| Dexter, | 316,000 00 | 1,295 60 | 1,055 44 |
| Freedom, | 344,000 00 | 1,410 40 | 1,148 96 |
| Lima | 416,000 00 | 1,705 60 | 1,389 44 |
| Lodi, | 565,000 00 | 2,316 50 | 1,887 10 |
| Lyndon, | 209,000 00 | 856 90 | 698 06 |
| Manchester, | 489,000 00 | 2,004 90 | 1,633 26 |
| Northfield, | 434,000 00 | 1,779 40 | 1,449 56 |
| Pittsfield, | 612,000 00 | 2,509 20 | 2,044 08 |
| Salem, | 548,000 00 | 2,246 80 | 1,830 32 |
| Scio, | 727,000 00 | 2,980 70 | 2,428 18 |
| Superior, | 557,000 00 | 2,283 70 | 1,860,38 |
| Saline, | 697,000 00 | 2,857 70 | 2,327 98 |
| Sylvan, | 389,000 00 | 1,594 90 | 1,299 26 |
| Sharon, | 424,000 00 | 1,738 40 | 1,416 16 |
| Webster, | 456,000 00 | 1,869 60 | 1,523 04 |
| York, | 507,000 00 | 2,078 70 | 1,693 38 |
| Ypsilanti town, | 592,000 00 | 2,427 20 | 1,977 28 |
| " city, 1st, 2d & 3d wards, | 649,000 00 | 2,660 90 | 2,167 06 |
| Ypsilanti city, 4th and 5th wards, | 318,000 00 | 1,303 80 | 1,062 12 |
| | $12,000,000 00 | $49,200 00 | $40,080 00 |
| Excess of State Tax, | | | $39 69 |
| " " County " | | | 16 34 |
| Total excess, | | | $56 03 |

which report was, on motion, accepted and adopted.

Mr. Whipple moved that the excess in State and County Tax be added to the County Contingent Fund, which motion was adopted.

Mr. Robison moved that $3.00 of the amount appropriated for exchange of stoves ($11.00 only having been used for that purpose) be added to the County Contingent fund, which motion prevailed.

Mr. Crittenden moved that the County Clerk be allowed the sum of one hundred dollars (to be paid out of the Contingent Fund) for extra expenses incurred by him during this session of the Board, which motion prevailed.

Mr. Wall offered the following resolution, which was adopted:

*Resolved*, That the thanks of this Board be tendered to the Chairman, and the acting Clerk, J. T. Swathel, for the satisfactory and efficient manner in which they have performed their duties during the session of this Board.

On motion the Board adjourned to 8½ o'clock A. M. to-morrow.

SATURDAY, NOVEMBER 2nd 1867.

Board met pursuant to adjournment, and was called to order by the Chairman.

Roll called—present 10, absent 15, no quorum.

On motion the Board adjourned *sine die*.

CRUEL.—Mothers, a word with you. Having arrived at years of discretion, you are at liberty to sacrifice comfort to fashion, but *not* the right to murder your children. Yesterday, we saw a little girl, led by its mother through the street. Her little collar and muff and hat were of the warmest fur, and well she needed them, for it was bitter cold; but her little legs, bare and blue, between her stockings and skirts, told a shivering tale. What inconsistency! Shall we bundle our childrens' necks, that really don't need bundling, and allow their legs to go without even a thickness of muslin to puotect them from the keen winter's blast? A curse on the fashion that kills or makes invalids!

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194-6w THOS. NINDE, Att'y for Plaintiff

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**Thanksgiving Day.**

The Baptists, Methodists and Presbyterians united in public worship at the Methodist E. Church. Rev. C. E Hewitt delivered a sermon to a large congregation from Rev. 19:6, "For the Lord God Omnipotent *reigneth.*"—While praise and thanksgiving is becoming the day, yet the social evils prevailing embitter the cup. The disposition to shirk all moral issues in political affairs, patronage of sinful amusements, increased desecration of the sabbath, low state of religion. But this was not his mission to unfold these to-day. In response to the four and twenty elders shouting Allelula, a grander voice was heard, saying "Allelula, for the Lord God Omnipotent reigneth." Order is a striking element in God's universe. The fact that God works by plan is evidence of the ultimate triumph of truth. It is an encouragement to Christians that they are laboring in harmony with the Divine plan. Christians must not falter in carrying on great reforms. God reigns, and will crown their efforts with ultimate victory. Seeming defeats are the forerunners of glorious triumphs. Dark and foreboding was it for the cause of humanity just prior to the late war, but God found the way to remove the thick veil and overthrow the direful curse. A collection was taken up for the Home Association. Rev. Mr. Smart, in his apt way, putting the audience in good humor.

At the Episcopal Church, the pastor, Rev. Mr. Wilson, preached to a good congregation, from Isa 60; 12. "For the nation and kingdom that will not serve thee shall perish, yea these shall be utterly wasted." He illustrated by the history of the downfall of those nations who have disobeyed God. Developed the necessity of divine and human government and law, and what man would do were it not for their restraining influences. Applied these facts to our own country, foreshaddowing its future glory if God's laws are obeyed and equal and exact justice be meted out to all its citizens. Gave an earnest warning and exhortation to young men, the future of the Republic resting upon them. A handsome collection was taken up for the Ladies Home Association.

**J. S. C. Abbott at Hewitt Hall.**

Mr. Abbott is by no means an orator. The hearer readily discovers that his forte is history. In this department he is brilliant. The Napoleons are his beau ideals. He interests an audience because he is passionately fond of his theme. He is evidently honest in his views. It will be difficult to persuade the majority of Americans to adopt his views. He entirely lost sight of Napoleon's sympathies for the rebels, and his wicked interference in Mexican affairs. His pleas for the Emperor and the Pope as against Garribaldi repelled every right thinking hearer: yet the audience could not but admire his enthusiasm, and be unwillingly led captive in admiration of the Uncle and Nephew who have accomplished so much for the Bonaparte name, and for the temporal glory of France. He gave a graphic sketch of the invasion of France to maintain the Bourbons, the uprising of the Republicans, the beheading of the King, the hurling back of the invaders, Napoleon's return from Egypt, his stay of the ceaseless guillotine by assuming dictatorial powers, and thus giving internal peace to France. How the Monarchs of Europe could not brook that one of the people should govern—to see aristocracy thus crushed and the masses rule—Europe thus combining against the "Little Corporal," and after a series of mighty conflicts, placing "the man of dustiny" upon the Island of Elba. His return, reception by France, his presence disarming all opposition, and inspiring such enthusiasm as no mortal man ever did before. "Without shedding one drop of blood, placed the second time on that throne of popular rights which the people had given him." His farewell to the Old Guard on the eve of his departure to St. Helena was thrillingly impressive. His description of the nephew, early life, imprisonment, escape, brief residence in America, final restoration to his country, election to the Convention by 60,000 majority in Paris, election to the Presidency by 6,000,000 votes; his bold strike to ward off the blow about to be struck against him, and the action of the French people in restoring the Empire in the person of Napoleon III. by over 7,000,000 votes; description of character—pensive, sad, shrewd, scholarly—all was told in a manner calculated to prejudge the audience.

After the lecture, Dr. Rexford invited a few friends at his house, where a pleasant half hour was spent in social converse with the family and their guest, Mr. Abbott.

### CELEBRATION.

The 1st of Jan. will be a great day among the colored people in Detroit. We are requested to say that the Masons, Good Templars, and Daughters of Ruth and sister societies in regalia will be present, and celebrate in memory of the immortal Emancipation Proclamation of the great and good Lincoln.

### STONEWALL REGIMENT.

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### PROF. AND MRS. RIPLEY.

The following resolutions are appropriately just. We gladly publish and endorse them:

WHEREAS, E. L. Ripley, Professor of Mathematics, and Mrs. E. L. Ripley, Preceptress of the Michigan State Normal School, having labored with us for several years with untiring zeal and successful efforts, deemed it proper to withdraw themselves from this field of labor; Therefore,

*Resolved*, That we the students of the school, unitedly express our regret at the unexpected separation from teachers so faithful and highly esteemed;

*Resolved*, We extend to them our heart-felt thanks for the deep interest manifested in our culture, both intellectual and moral;

*Resolved*, We, the young ladies of the school, will ever strive to imitate the examples set before us by Mrs. Ripley, both as a lady and christian, and will endeavor to bear in mind the good advice which she has oft times given us.

*Resolved*, While we ever cherish them in our memory, we would cordially recommend them to the public, in the assurance that they will not only be found to adorn their profession, but an ornament to society.

*Resolved*, That these Resolutions be printed in the Ypsilanti COMMERCIAL, and a copy sent to Prof. and Mrs. R., and also a copy to a leading Press in Columbia, Mo., requesting to copy.

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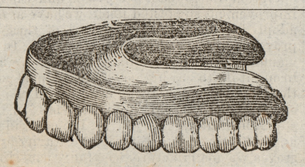

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| | Mail | Day Exp | Ev'g. Exp | Night Exp | Dex. Acc |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| | A.M. | A.M. | P.M. | P.M. | P.M |
| Detroit, l've, | 6: 0 | 9:40 | 5:35 | 10:30 | 4:- |
| Wayne, | 7.25 | —— | 6:30 | —— | 5:20 |
| Ypsilanti, | 7:55 | 10:55 | 7:00 | 11:50 | 5:55 |
| | | | | A.M. | |
| Ann Arbor, | 8:20 | 11:17 | 7:25 | 12:10 | 6:20 |
| Dexter, | 8:50 | 11:40 | 7:50 | —— | 6:50 |
| Chelsea, | 9:10 | —— | 8:10 | 12:50 | —— |
| | | P.M. | | | |
| Jackson, | 10:10 | 12:45 | 9:10 | 1:50 | —— |
| | P.M. | P.M. | A M. | A. M. | |
| Chicago, Arr. | 7:50 | 9.00 | 6:30 | 11:00 | —— |

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| | Mail | Day Exp | Ev'g. Exp | Night Exp | Dex Acc |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| | A.M. | A.M. | P.M. | P.M | |
| Chicago, l've, | 4:30 | 7:00 | 4:15 | 9:40 | —— |
| | P.M. | P.M. | A.M. | A.M. | |
| Jackson, | 2:05 | 3:05 | 12:10 | 6:50 | —— |
| Chelsea, | 3:07 | —— | —— | 7:40 | —— |
| | | | | | A. M. |
| Dexter, | 3:25 | —— | —— | 7:57 | 5:55 |
| Ann Arbor, | 3:55 | 4:33 | 1:23 | 8:25 | 6:25 |
| Ypsilanti, | 4:20 | 4:55 | 1:43 | 8:45 | 6:50 |
| Wayne, | 4:40 | —— | —— | —— | 7:25 |
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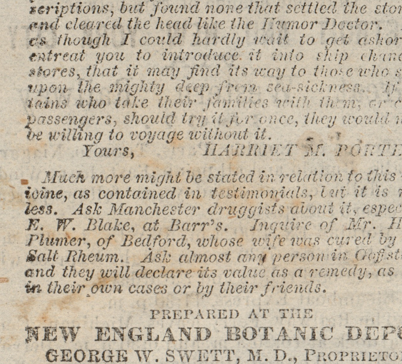


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STATE OF MICHIGAN, SS. Fourth Judicial Circuit. In Chancery; Suit pending in the Circuit Court for the County of Washtenaw. In Chancery. Present, the Honorable Edwin Lawrence, Circuit Judge, at Chambers at Ann Arbor, in the County of Washtenaw, on the 8th day of October, A. D., 1867.

Anson H. Platt, complainant, vs. Mary W. Platt, Defendant.

It satisfactorily appearing to me, the said Circuit Judge, by affidavit of Densmore Cramer, solicitor for the complainant, the subpœna has been duly issued in this cause and that the same cannot be served upon said defendant, for the reason that she is a non-resident of this State. On motion of Densmore Cramer, solicitor for complainant, it is ordered that the said Mary W. Platt cause her appearance in this cause to be entered within two months from the date of this order, and in case of her appearance she cause her answer to the compiainant's bill of complaint to be filed and a copy thereof to be served on the solicitor for the complainant within twenty days after the service of a copy of said bill on said defendant, or in default thereof, that the said bill be taken as confessed by the said derendant.

And it is further ordered, that within twenty days the said complainant cause a copy of this order to be published in the *Ypsilanti Commercial*, a public newspaper printed and published at the City of Ypsilanti in said County of Washtenaw, and that such publication be continued once in each week for six successive weeks, or that he cause a copy of said order to be personally served on said defendant at least twenty days before the time prescribed for said defendant's appearance in this cause.

E. LAWRENCE,
Circuit Judge.

Dated Oct. 9th, A. D. 1867.

DENSMORE CRAMER, Solicitor of and Counsel for complainant. 196w


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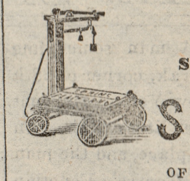

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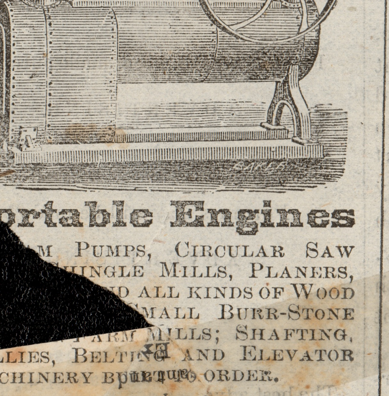


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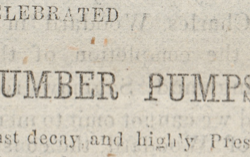

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MORTGAGE SALE

DEFAULT HAVING BEEN MADE in the conditions of a certain mortgage executed by William Crosby to David B. Ellis bearing date March 16th, 1862, and recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds, for the County of Washtenaw, Michigan, on the 21st day of March, A. D., 1862, in Liber 29 of mortgages, on page 106, and duly assigned to Laurens Stearns, on the 29th day of November, 1862, which assignment was recorded in the office of said Register of Deeds in Liber one of Assignments of Mortgages, on page 455, which said mortgage was given to secure the payment of a part of the purchase money of the land therein described, on which mortgage there is claimed to be due at the date of this notice, the sum of three hundred and forty-five dollars and eighty-three one hundreth dollars, and the sum of thirty-five dollars as a reasonable attorney fee provided in said mortgage, and no suit or proceeding at law or in chancery having been instituted to recover the debt thereof.

Notice is hereby given, that by virtue of a power of sale, in said mortgage contained, and of the statute in such cases made and provided on Tuesday, the 7th day of January, A. D. 1868, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon, at the South door of the Court House in the City of Ann Arbor, Michigan, (that being the building for holding the Circuit Court for the County of Washtenaw, in said State) there will be sold at public auction, the premises described in said morrgage, to satisfy the amount due thereon, with interest and the cost and expenses, and the Attorney fee of thirty-five dollars, as provided in said mortgage. The East half of the South East quarter of section eight, in town four, south of range six East, in the State of Michigan, excepting and reserving therefrom twenty acres off of the North end thereof, and thirty acres off of the South end thereof, being in the Township of York, in said County, in said State.

LAURENS STEARNS,
Assignee of said Mortgage

CUTCHEON & ALLEN,
Attorneys for Assignee.

September 20th, 1867. 186

MORTGAGE SALE.

DEFAULT HAVING BEEN MADE IN the conditions of a certain mortgage dated January 1st, 1856, executed by George Castner, of Ypsilanti, Washtenaw County, Michigan, to John W. Vancleve, of the same place, which mortgage was recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds for Washtenaw County, January seventh, 1858, at 10½ o'clock, a. m., in Liber 24 of mortgages, on page 233; which mortgage was assigned by John W. Vancleve to James H. Cocker, by assignment dated September third, 1867, and recorded in the office of the said Register of Deeds for Washtenaw County, in Liber one of assignments of mortgages, page 449, September 7, 1867, at 10 o'clock a. m., upon which mortgage is claimed to be due at this date one hundred and sixty-eight dollars, and no proceedings at law or in Chancery having been instituted to recover the same.

Notice is therefore hereby given, that said mortgage will be foreclosed by sale of the premises therein described, to-wit: "Village lot number four hundred and eighty-three, (483) in Larzelere and Post's addition to the Village of Ypsilanti, according to the plat of said addition on record in the Register's Office for said Washtenaw County," at public vendue to the highest bidder, at the South door of the Court House in the City of Ann Arbor, in said Washtenaw County, Michigan, on the eleventh day of December next, at eleven o'clock in the forenoon of that day.

D. B. GREENE, Attorney. JAMES H. COCKER, Assignee.

Dated Ypsilanti, Sept. 11, 1867. 185


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